**EXAMINEI::** 

ART UNIT:

PAPER NO:

## 5117-C1-01-MG

17

RECEIVED **CENTRAL FAX CENTER** 

MAR 2 9 2004

OFFICIAL

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: JANAK KHIMCHAND PADIA

DEEPAK R. RAO

SERIAL NO: 08/812,508

: MARCH 7, 1997

: NOVEL HETEROCYCLES AS CHOLECYSTOKINI (CCK)

LIGANDS

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

March 29, 2004

Sir:

FILED

FOR

This paper is in response to the Office Action of February 24, 2003. A petition for extension of time of three months is requested. No new matter is introduced by way of this submission. Reconsideration of the captioned application in light of these amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Kindly amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 30 of this paper.